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NEXT MEETING

Thursday

JULY 31, 2008

7:00 p.m.

Redwood Multipurpose Center

JULY PRESENTATION:

HOWARD FREED

RAILROAD MEMORABILIA COLLECTOR

PLEASE PULL YOUR NAMETAG FROM THE BOARD BEFORE

7:00 P.M. TO QUALIFY FOR THE PROMPTNESS PRIZE:

A SILVER FRANKLIN HALF DOLLAR

REMEMBER TO SIGN THE LOGBOOK.

We will also hold a drawing for one winner of all Junior Members in attendance. The prize will be a "N.U.T.S. Good for \$5 Token"

**VOTE FOR YOUR FAVORITE FIND OF
THE MONTH**

*****Be sure and enter for our
other prizes*****

YOUR PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

George Wilson



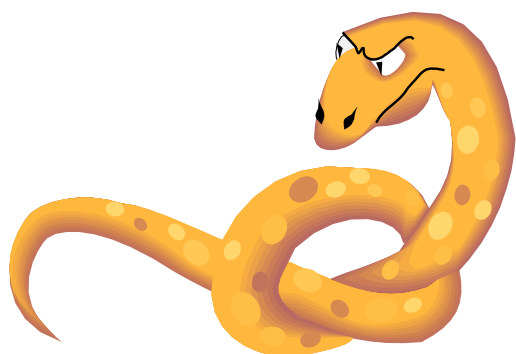
August is here again and it's hard to believe the summer is almost over. If you're like me, the last few days have been consumed when ever possible with watching the Olympic Games. When the TV. commentator's remarked that one of the female swimmers had auctioned off her gold

medal from the Athens games for \$83,000 and donated the money to leukemia research, I wondered if any other Olympic medals were for sale. I went to the Internet and found several were indeed for sale. Most were in the 4

to 6 thousand dollar range. I thought that this seemed very cheap considering the effort and determination the athlete had to exert to win these medals. If only these things we collect could tell amazing stories.

We are approaching the last quarter of the year and now is the time to

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Meeting Dates for 2008

*January 24	*February 28	*March 27	*April 24
*May 22	*June 26	*July 31	
*August 28 Summer Picnic		*September 25	
*October 23 Party	*November 20	*December 18 Christmas	

We will also have "Find of the Month" in March through November (excluding August) **Note** that you may only submit original "finds" since the previous N.U.T.S. meeting (normally 30 days.)

look into the near future. In a few months it will be time for elections. Many of you have shared your suggestions with me this year and now is the time to put more of those ideas to work by becoming an officer. Most of the offices require a few hours each month, while others take more time. Consider becoming an officer as a way of keeping our organization moving in the right direction. Because of increasing demands made on me by my business I will not be able to serve as president next year, but I will be a board member as per the clubs by-laws. And I will continue to do my best to keep this society moving forward.

August is time for our club picnic. Bring your favorite item to grill and a pot luck dish. The club provides the soft drinks and the picnic area. The picnic is always a good opportunity to enjoy some good food and good company.

A big thank you to Harold Freed for a very interesting presentation. I'm looking for a deck of Pullman playing cards, and researching my date nails. See you at the - George



N.U.T.S. ANNUAL SUMMER PICNIC



AUGUST 28, 2008



LAST NAME: PLEASE BRING:

A - M Salad, Fruit or Veggie

N - W - Dessert

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- #23 THE ANNEX SLC UT
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- #25 12 WOODEN NICKEL W/ 2007 UTAH QUARTER FOR THE KIDS UNDER 18 FIRST

GRANDPA

The IRS decides to audit Grandpa, and summons him to the IRS office. The IRS auditor was not surprised when Grandpa showed up with his attorney.

The auditor said, 'Well, sir, you have an extravagant lifestyle and no full-time employment, Which you explain by saying that you win money gambling. I'm not sure the IRS finds that believable.

I'm a great gambler, and I can prove it,' says Grandpa. 'How about a demonstration?'

The auditor thinks for a moment and said, 'Okay. Go ahead.'

Grandpa says, 'I'll bet you a thousand dollars that I can bite my own eye.'

The auditor thinks a moment and says, 'It's a bet.'

Grandpa removes his glass eye and bites it.

The auditor's jaw drops.

Grandpa says, 'Now, I'll bet you two thousand dollars that I can bite my other eye.'

Now the auditor can tell Grandpa isn't blind, so he takes the bet.

Grandpa removes his dentures and bites his good eye.

The stunned auditor now realizes he has wagered and lost three grand, with Grandpa's attorney as a witness. He starts to get nervous.

'Want to go double or nothing?' Grandpa asks 'I'll bet you six thousand dollars that I can stand on one side of your desk, and pee into that wastebasket on the other side, and never get a drop anywhere in between.'

The auditor, twice burned, is cautious now, but he looks carefully and decides there's no way this old guy could possibly manage that stunt, so he agrees again.

Grandpa stands beside the desk and unzips his pants, but although he strains mightily, he can't make the stream reach the wastebasket on the other side, so he pretty much urinates all over the auditor's desk.

The auditor leaps with joy, realizing that he has just turned a major loss into a huge win.

But Grandpa's attorney moans and puts his head in his hands.

'Are you okay?' the auditor asks.

'Not really,' says the attorney. 'This morning, when Grandpa told me he'd been summoned for an audit, he bet me twenty-five thousand dollars that he could come in here and pee all over your desk and that you'd be happy about it.'

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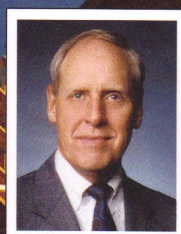
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